

1937 FOUND TO BE RECORD YEAR ON OREGON FARMS

CASH INCOME for Oregon farmers for 1937 will be the highest since pre-depression days and will approximate the previous peak year of 1929, according to a compilation made by L. R. Breithaupt, extension economist at Oregon State college, and based on latest government estimates and other data.

"Sales of crop and animal products from Oregon farms during 1937 will amount to between \$130,000,000 and \$140,000,000, which is more than double the cash farm income during the 1932-1933 low years and equal to the 1928-1929 peak period," says Breithaupt.

"Oregon's agricultural, manufacturing and processing industries, such as mills, canneries and milk products plants, will add perhaps \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000 additional to the farm sales income, bringing the total agricultural income up around \$160,000,000 to \$170,000,000. This equals if not exceeds the previous high mark of \$163,000,000 in 1929, which figure includes \$34,300,000 credited to agricultural manufacturing, but does not include returns from specialty crops estimated in this year's totals. Without either manufacturing or specialty crop income the latest government estimates for this state are \$127,811,000 for 1937."

Breithaupt calls attention to the growing importance of specialty crops in Oregon's income, even though milk production and wheat continue as the principal single items, with beef cattle, sheep and other livestock accounting for fully a fourth of the total. Tree fruits, nuts, small fruits and nursery crops together bring in about a fifth of the total.

Specialty crops include a half of all the hops produced in the United States, a large volume of eggs and fine baby chicks, and a turkey output that puts Oregon in the front rank of turkey growing states. Specialty crops often omitted from estimates include celery and other truck crops, field, garden and flower seeds; bulbs, peppermint oil, furs, and a great variety of nursery stock for both ornamental and commercial planting.

Judge Whacks Taylor For Drunken Driving

Mike Taylor, 22-year-old resident of Ashland, entered a plea of guilty Monday morning in W. R. Coleman's justice court in Medford when charged with drunken driving and received a sentence of 90 days in the county jail, a fine of \$150 and costs and suspension of driving privileges for a year.

Taylor was arrested Saturday night on South Riverside street in Medford after he had been noted driving in a weaving, unsteady manner.

The heavy sentence was a result of perusal into court records which showed that the defendant had been arrested on the same charge last year, received a suspended jail sentence of 30 days conditional to payment of a fine of \$100, and that he had paid but \$2 of the amount. Also he had failed to apply for a new license following suspension of his permit at that time.

COLD WEATHER CAUTION

Cold weather already has visited many Oregon localities, and colder weather may be on the way. Driving safely in cold spells depends principally on proper preparation, which includes chains and some means of keeping the windshield clear, according to Secretary of State Earl Snell.

LICENSE EXAMINER HERE

Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive cars should get in touch with Ward McReynolds, examiner of operators and chauffeurs today, Jan. 7, his regular visit to Ashland.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for Jackson County

In the Matter of the Estate of ELMER C. THOMPSON, Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of Elmer C. Thompson, deceased, has filed in said court his final account in the matter of said estate, and the Honorable Earl B. Day, county judge, has designated January 31, 1938, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courthouse in Medford, said county, as the time and place for a hearing thereon.

Anyone having an objection to said account is required to present the same on or before the date of said hearing.

G. H. BILLINGS, Administrator

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Attorneys for Administrator

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, in and for the county of Jackson, to me directed and dated on the 9th day of December, 1937, in a certain suit therein, wherein Wendell W. Prime, as administrator of the estate of Coral W. Prime, deceased, as plaintiff, recovered judgment against W. W. Prickett and Edna G. Prickett, husband and wife, the defendants, for the sum of \$150.00, principal, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from and since November 1, 1932, amounting in all to \$211.10; with costs and disbursements taxed at \$27.55 and the further sum of \$50.00 as attorney's fees, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the clerk's office of said court in said county on the 9th day of December, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the terms of the said execution, I will on the 15th day of January, 1938, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in the city of Medford, in Jackson county, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, to satisfy said judgment, together with the costs of this sale, subject to redemption as provided by law, all of the right, title

and interest that the said defendants in said suit, W. W. Prickett and Edna G. Prickett, husband and wife, and Medford Pipe & Machinery Company, an Oregon corporation, had on the 1st day of November, 1932, or now have in and to the following described property, situated in the county of Jackson, state of Oregon, to-wit:

Commence at a point which is 760.5 feet north and 217.8 feet south 89 deg. 20' west from the S. E. corner of the E 1/2 of D. L. C. No. 72 in Twp. 37 South of Range 2 West of W. M. and from said point running thence South 89 deg. 20' west 217.8 feet; thence south 220 feet; thence north 89 deg. 20' east 217.8 feet; thence north 220 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1 acre more or less, subject to an easement for road purposes over a strip of land 20 feet in width along the south line of above described tract known as Lot 12 Jojack subdivision unrecorded. Except 54.5 feet on the west side thereof deeded to Ray Moran.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1937.

SYD I. BROWN,

Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon

By HOWARD GAULT,

Deputy.

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PEDESTRIANS AT FAULT

The person on foot was at fault in 55 per cent of pedestrian fatalities reported from five states, Leslie J. Sorenson, Chicago traffic engineer, states. Secretary of State Earl Snell says some of the

most dangerous pedestrian practices are walking in the main-traveled portion of the street or highway, entering the street from behind parked vehicles, and looking up or away from traffic while crossing the street.

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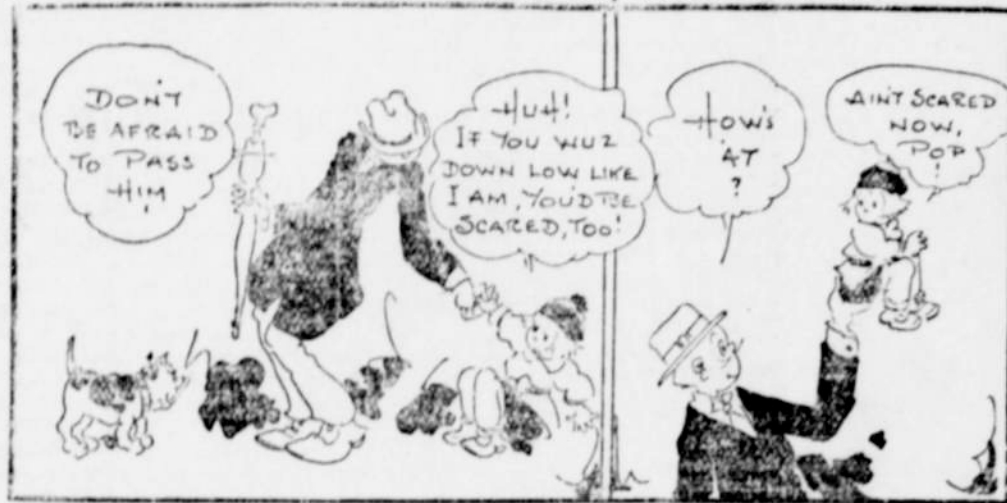
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